

SITUATION REPORT No. 34

Hurricane Ivan

FEMA/State Joint Field Office Mobile, Alabama

State Emergency Operations Center Level: 3

Operational Period October 11, 2004 – 0001 to October 13, 2004 – 2400

(Information current as of 1400 hours)

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CURRENT SITUATION:

Operational Priorities

Debris removal

Damage Assessment

Roofing Tarp

Temporary Housing

Special Needs

Receive & dist.

Security

CONSEQUENCES: (Action taken to meet Priorities)

ESF – 1 Transportation

- Sections of AL Hwy 182 remain closed in Gulf Shores due to storm damage.

ESF – 2 Telecommunications and Information Technology

- BellSouth reports 3,402 customers without service statewide.

ESF – 3 Public Works and Engineering

- Large generator de-installation was completed 10/4.
- Small (special needs) generator de-installation was completed 10/7.
- A total of 140 generators (114 large, 26 small) were installed at incident peak.
 - Corps of Engineers removed 28,386 CY of debris from Butler, Escambia, and Mobile County during the last 24 hour period. Less debris was removed than usual, due to wind and rain associated with Tropical Storm Matthew.

ESF – 4 Firefighting

- 17 counties in SW Alabama remain under a fire alert. Burn permits will be issued only to governmental agencies burning at designated debris disposal sites.
- Forestry Commission is available to assist cities and counties in locating sites for safe debris burning.

ESF – 5 Emergency Management

- Publishing reports as needed.
- Maintaining and gathering intelligence from all ESFs.

ESF – 6 Mass Care, Housing, and Human Services

- All Red Cross shelters are closed.
- All Red Cross kitchens are closed.
- Red Cross reports 3,650 meals and snacks served from their Emergency Response Vehicle in the last 24 hour period.
- Red Cross has three Service Centers open in Atmore, Foley, and Monroeville.
- 50 trailers have been delivered to the staging area in Baldwin County.
- 9 trailers are set up and occupied.

ESF – 7 Resource Management

- All National Guard Task Forces are closed.
- Monitoring event costs.

ESF – 8 Public Health and Medical Services

- DPH is coordinating with U.S. Public Health Service – Center for Disease Control to determine numbers of patients hospitalized from Hurricane Ivan related injuries.

ESF – 9 Urban Search & Rescue

- **USAR deactivated 9/20.**

ESF – 10 Oil and Hazardous Materials Response

- **ADEM has two crews of five personnel working in Orange Beach and Gulf Shores coordinating beach cleanup with contractors.**
- **Gulf Shores Fire Training Center is being used as a temporarily holding facility for debris, which is being collected and transported to Magnolia Landfill.**

ESF – 11 Agriculture and Natural Resources

- **DHR will begin accepting applications for Emergency Food Stamps from non-food stamp households in Mobile County on October 12 and will continue through October 16.**
- **VMT#3 demobilized.**

ESF – 12 Energy

- **All power is restored (except for damaged structures).**

ESF – 13 Public Safety and Security

- **All DPS personnel (except those regularly assigned to South Alabama) demobilized 10/7.**

ESF – 14 Community Recovery, Mitigation, and Economic Stabilization

- **Eleven DRCs were open as of 10/10 in Baldwin, Clarke, Conecuh, Escambia, Geneva, Mobile, and Monroe Counties. 298 customers were served in the past 24 hour period.**
- **All DRCs are closed 10/11 for Columbus Day.**
- **Choctaw County DRC opens 10/12**
- **Wilcox County DRC opens 10/14**
- **Jefferson County DRC opens 10/16.**
- **Twenty National Guard personnel are assisting with PA work projects.**
- **Scheduling site visits.**

ESF – 15 Emergency Public Information and External Communication

- **Continuing to update public information items.**